

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
) CASE NO. MJ 17-177
Plaintiff,)
)
v.)
) DETENTION ORDER
MARK BAUTISTA SERRANO,)
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Defendant.)
_____)

Offense charged: Felon in Possession of a Firearm; Possession with Intent to Distribute
Methamphetamine; Possession of a Firearm in Furtherance of a Drug Trafficking Crime
Date of Detention Hearing: September 8, 2017.

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and
based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds
that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure
the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. Defendant has been charged with a drug offense, the maximum penalty of which

01 is in excess of ten years. There is therefore a rebuttable presumption against defendant as to
02 both dangerousness and flight risk, under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e).

03 2. Defendant is a citizen of the Philippines. He has lived in the U.S. for
04 approximately 30 years, but his Green Card expired in 2015. He has been employed since
05 2006, with the exception as self-employment as a landscaper for the last four months.
06 Defendant has a history of substance abuse and is alleged to have been selling
07 methamphetamine out of his garage since 2010. During the search of his residence, a number
08 of firearms were allegedly found. In 2008 defendant was convicted of shooting a .22 rifle out
09 of his back door, and his residence has been the subject of numerous complaints from neighbors
10 about the operation of a drug house.

11 3. Taken as a whole, the record does not effectively rebut the presumption that no
12 condition or combination of conditions will reasonably assure the appearance of the defendant
13 as required and the safety of the community.

14 It is therefore ORDERED:

- 15 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney
16 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from
17 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;
- 18 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
19 counsel;
- 20 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person
21 in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the
22 defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection

01 with a court proceeding; and

- 02 4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel
03 for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Pretrial Services
04 Officer.

05 DATED this 8th day of September, 2017.

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09 United States Magistrate Judge
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